

POW Camp

POW CAMP-----OFUNA

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Sworn Statement of Cmdr. RICHARD H. O'KANE, Former POW,
Concerning Maltreatment at Ofuna. 1 Aug. 1946

(sworn statement)

ATIS RESEARCH REPORT NO. 86 24 Aug 44

Allied POW'S in Jap Hands.

Background on treatment of POW's by Japs.

Info on location of 71 POW camps and treatment of allied POW's in occupied territory. Official instructions for collection and treatment of POW's are included, as are descriptions in varying degrees of detail on the routine, clothing, recreation and medical treatment in the camps.

PRISONER OF WAR CAMP

See also under names of various camps

PRISONER OF WAR CAMP, Bangkok

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PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION CN INSPECTION,
INTERVIEW CALLING, 6 Jan 1943

Report on Switzerland Vice-Consuls inspection of
PW camp at Shanghai. Swedish consul denied
visit to PW camp in Bangkok. US protest to Jap
Govt re violation of Geneva Convention re PWs

SWISS LEGATION IN TOKYO AND THE JAPANESE FOREIGN MINISTRY
Correspondence between, regarding VISITS TO POW CAMPS
(73 letters) 12 Feb. 42 - 31 Jul 45

Implicates: TOGO, Shigenori; SHIGEMITSU, Mamoru; TOJO,
Hideki; TANI, Masayuki; SUZUKI, Teiichi.

Reveals failure of Japanese to allow requests to visit
POW camps.

PRISONER OF WAR CAMPS, Chain of Command

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COMPLETE FILE OF LAWS AND ORDINANCES, (HOREI ZEN-SHO) for 1941, (Vol. 2). Extract is P962, giving IMPERIAL ORDINANCES as described below.

Date: 24 Dec. 1941

Implicates: TOJO, SHIMADA, EMPEROR

Imperial Ordinances establishing POW camps and chain of command. Organization of the POW Information Bureau.

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PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION ON INSPECTION, INTERVIEW
CALLING, 6 Jan 1943.

Report on Switzerland Vice-Consul's inspection of
PW camp at Shanghai. Swedish Consul denied visit
to PW camp in Bangkok. US protest to Japanese Govt
re violation of Geneva Convention re Pows.

POW CAMPS

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FOREIGN AFFAIRS MONTHLY REPORT. Dec. 1942.

POW Camps, movements of women internees, employment of
POWs.

POW CAMPS, inspection

1635

File of Requests by Mediating Nations to Visit and Inspect PRISONER OF WAR CAMPS; Records of Acceptance of These Requests/ Date: 1942-1945

Implicates: TOGO; SHIGEMITSU

Published by POW Information Bureau (FURYOJCHOKYOKU).
Requests by Swiss Ministry, etc; Swedish Legation.
Many refusals on different grounds, some by above(implicated men)

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ANTHONY WARREN DAWSON-GROVE, FORMER POW--DESCRIBING
TREATMENT RECEIVED AT OFUNA. 4 Oct. 1947.

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(sworn statement)

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DAWSON-GROVE, Anthony Warren, former POW - with photo of
prison inmates at OFUNA. 4 Oct. 1947

(sworn statement)

POW CAMP--OFUNA

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FITZGERALD, JOHN ALLISON, former POW, concerning
maltreatment at OFUNA. 17 July 1946.

(sworn statement)

PRISONER OF WAR CAMPS

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PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU, Memorandum (NO. 3)

By: Major General TAMURA

Implicates: TAMURA, Hiroshi; TATSUTA, Lt. Col; YASUDA, Maj; YOKOI, 1st Lt; BENIYA; YAGUCHI, Ju; PW camp head; MURATA, w/o FUJIKURA; NAITO, Hideo; NISHI, Katsuzo; UJIEI, Mie.

PW camp CO's incidental notebook.

General conditions, outline of report to Army Vice Minister, Report on B29 prisoners.

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ITAGAKI, K. concerning OFUNA TEMPORARY POW CAMP. (on
or about 20 May 1946)

Questions and answers re Ofuna Temporary POW camp.

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PHILIPPINE DEATH RECORDS

Date: 1942, 1943

Death records of American PsW, POW Camps,
Philippine Islands.

POW CAMP--OFUNA

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TURNBALL, FREDERICK DE WITT, concerning maltreatment
received at OFUNA POW CAMP. 19 Sep. 1947

(sworn statement)

ARMY PUBLICATION IN PAMPHLET FORM. THIS IS ONE SECTION OF AN ARMY PUBLICATION DEALING WITH POWs, prison policies, captured airmen, etc. It bears no title (1942-44)

Trial and punishment of prisoners and residents of occupied countries. Prison policy. Military laws and trials of Japanese forces in China.

POW CAMP REGULATION

3511-C

FILE OF OFFICIAL DOCUMENTS (KOBUN RUI SHU),
Series 65, 1941, Vol. 13 on ORGANIZATION, ARMY
MINISTRY, 1941

Prisoner of War Bureau Organization and
Camp regulation.

(bound volume)

PRISONER OF WAR CAMP, REPORT OF. (From 11th to 20th Feb. 1942) Issued 25th Feb, 1942 at Zentsuji POW camp.

Date: 25 Feb. 1942

Routine report of Zentsuji POW Camp.
Describes daily life- compulsory worship,
distribution of foreign legation packages.

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PRISONER OF WAR CAMP REPORTS (Inspectional reports)

Date: 1943

Reports of Swiss representatives inspecting PW Camps.
Requests to inspect and refusals. Satisfactory reports.

1551

PRISONER OF WAR REPORTS. Date: 1943

British protests on PW treatment. Articles pertaining to supplies.

PRISONER OF WAR REPORTS, 1944-1945.

Implicates: SUZUKI (of Foreign Dept)

Letters from Swiss Legation re ill treatment of Allied POWs.

1432

**PRISONER OF WAR CAMP REPORTS, INSPECTIONAL TOUR.
1942-43.**

Contains letters from International Red Cross to Japanese Foreign Ministry asking permission to visit POW camps and answers thereof from Japanese Foreign Ministry. Also letters between Foreign Office and POW Intelligence Bureau.

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PRISONERS OF WAR, SANITATION OF, File (supp)

1580

Date: 1945

Implicates: SUZUKI

Response to inquiry of British Govt, thru Swiss Legation
re health and sanitary conditions of PWs in HONGKONG.

PRISONER OF WAR CAMP, Shanghai

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PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION ON INSPECTION,
INTERVIEW CALLING. 6 Jan 1943

Report on Switzerland Vice-Consuls inspection of
PW camp at Shanghai. Swedish consul denied
visit to PW camp in Bangkok. US protest to Jap
Govt re violation of Geneva Convention re PWs

POW CAMP HOSPITAL--SHINAGAWA

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ANTHONY WARREN DAWSON-GROVE, FORMER POW AT SHINAGAWA
POW HOSPITAL. 4 Oct. 1947.

(sworn statement)

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TABLE SHOWING ARM~~Y~~ AND CORP AREAS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF WHICH WERE THE VARIOUS POW CAMPS, BRANCH CAMPS AND DETACHED CAMPS. (Undated)

Violation of Geneva POW Convention. Gives names of POW camps and army com mands under which they were organized at various periods from 1941 to 1945.

(handwritten)

983

PRISONER OF WAR CAMP, Telegram permitting SWEDISH Legation member to visit. (Vice Army Minister to Vice Foreign Minister) 28 May 1942

Permission to Nils E. Ericson to visit ZENTSUJI to see DUTCH prisoner.

POW.

"PRISONERS, CONTROL AND WATCH OF", File Date: 1581
1945

Implicates: SUZUKI

Contains answer to inquiries of the Swiss Legation
(case one of Capt. John Joseph MURPHY) very much delayed.

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ALLOTMENT AND SUPPLIES TO PRISONERS OF WAR, 1942-45.

Protests by US and Britain re treatment of prisoners.

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1437

**ALLOWANCE AND RATION FILE OF PRISONER OF WAR AND CIVIL
INTERNEES, 1943.**

**Correspondence re American request to Japanese Govt
concerning lending public US funds to Americans
interned in Japan.**

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ARMY ASIA SECRET ORDERS, 9 Oct 43 to June 45.

Violations of Rules of Warfare (PW)

(file)

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ATIS RESEARCH REPORT NO. 72 (29 Apr 1944)

Jap violations of Laws of War. Crimes against POWs.
Atrocities.

PRISONER'S OF WAR

ATIS RESEARCH REPORT NO. 72 (23 June 1945)

Jap violations of Laws of War.

Ill-treatment of POWS in South West Pacific Area

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ATIS RESEARCH REPORT NO. 86 - Allied prisoners of war
in Japanese hands. (19 Nov. 1945)

Violations of rules as to treatment of POWs. Treatment
of allied POWs in Japanese occupied territory.

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ATIS RESEARCH REPORT NO. 86 24 Aug 44

Allied POW'S in Jap Hands.

Background on treatment of POW's by Japs.

Info on location of 71 POW camps and treatment of allied POW's in occupied territory. Official instructions for collection and treatment of POW's are included, as are descriptions in varying degrees of detail on the routine, clothing, recreation and medical treatment in the camps.

ATIS, SWPA BULLETIN NO. 2047, (PRELIMINARY
EXAMINATION OF DOCUMENTS) 30 May 1945.

Item 12 pp. 8-9 is account of visit to
MUNTINGLUPA Prison where Filipino civilians
were interned. Describes conditions.

PRISONERS OF WAR,

ATIS, S/W PACIFIC AREA BULLETIN No. 2011, 6 May 45.

Source: DIARY (owner and unit not stated)

Palawan Island -- starvation and execution of P/W

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ATIS, S/W PACIFIC AREA BULLETIN, No. 2047,
30 May 1945.

Source of original: Unspecified member of
TORII Unit

Muntinglupa Prison - starvation of prisoners
and general camp conditions.

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2742-2743

ATROCITIES, JAPANESE, PHILIPPINES ISLANDS, AFFIDAVITS OF
a) Major Charles Thomas BROWN and b) Estrellita MORALES.
1945 - 1946

2742 - Affidavit of BROWN. Treats of conditions at POW
Camp and TAYABAS Province, LUZON, June, July 1942.

2743 - Affidavit of MORALES. Story of Japanese troops
bayoneting civilians, children at BOGO, CEBU, Oct. 1944.

PRISONERS OF WAR

2407

BAILEY, E. Tomlin, head of Prisoners of War
Branch, Special Projects Division of State
Department, USA, AFFIDAVIT OF on U.S.-Japanese
PRISONER OF WAR RELATIONS. 28 June 46

Implicates: TOJO, Hideki; TOGO, Shigenori

Attests Japanese violations of Geneva Convention
agreed to in telegram of 4 Feb. 1942, U.S.
protests to same. Also statement re good treat-
ment of Japanese prisoners by U.S.

BA83, Extract from GENERAL INFORMATION
CONCERNING PRISONERS OF WAR certified as true
copy by ODAJIMA, Tadashi and Lt. Omachi, Henry,
T. for Chief of the POW INFORMATION BUREAU
Jan 1942-June 1943

Concerns British POWs sent from ~~Malaya~~ to KOREA.
Comments of spectators quoted to show current
estimate of Anglo-^American military might, 27
Oct 1942

"BURMA-THAILAND RAILWAY", Report. 4 Jan. 1946

Implicates: TOJO, TERAUCHI

1. Protests by Allied Powers re treatment during construction.
2. PW control. and employment in construction.
3. Tables and sketches including list of deaths among PWs
4. Statement that "Persons implicated" are responsible.

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BURNING OF PW DOCUMENT, LETTER (no signature)

Date: Not dated

Implicates: Lt., Gen Hiroshi TAMURA

Reply to SCAP Memo of 21 Oct. 1945 re burning
of POW Information Bureau, and list of
documents burned.

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"CANADIAN PRISONERS OF WAR AND MISSING PERSONNEL IN THE
FAR EAST, LIST OF" 18 Dec. 1945

List of PWs is corrected to date shown.

Also attached are:

1. Certificate as to Canadian Naval PWs.
2. Certificate to PCAF PWs.
3. Certificate to Canadian Army PWs.

book

CERTIFICATE FROM SWISS MINISTER TO JAPAN ON
OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN SWISS LEGATION
IN TOKYO & JAPANESE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.
18 ~~April~~ April 1946

Letter of transmittal of correspondence for
period during which Switzerland was in charge
of American and British interests in Japan

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COMMUNICATION "ARMY SECRET #2190" re TREATMENT
OF ENEMY AIR CREW MEMBERS, from KIMURA, Heitaro,
Vice Minister of War to each Chief of Staff,
28 July 1942.

Enemy air crew members to be treated as POWs or
wartime capital criminals.

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CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN SWISS EMBASSY AND JAPANESE
FOREIGN MINISTRY CONCERNING REPATRIATION AND
EVACUATION OF FOREIGN NATIONALS.

Date: 1943

Implicates: SHIGEMITSU, Mamoru

Regards British and American nationals.

ENGLISH CIVILIAN INTERNEES. CERTIFICATE RE
NUMBER OF, (Sir DAVID JOHN MONTAGU-DOUGLAS-
SCOTT) Date: 3 Apr 46.

Certificate as to number of British civilians
interned and number repatriated prior to
cessation of hostilities.

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File of Requests by Mediating Nations to Visit
and Inspect PRISONER OF WAR CAMPS; Records of
Acceptance of These Requests. Date: 1942-1945

Implicates: TOGO; SHIGEMITSU

Published by POW Information Bureau
(FURYOJOHOKYOKU).

Requests by Swiss Ministry, etc; Swedish Legation
Many refusals on different grounds, some by above
(Implicated men)

FOREIGN AFFAIRS MONTHLY REPORTS, March 1942.

Treatment of internees; movements of representatives of foreign interests; establishment of South Sea Islands Investigation Assn.; monetary donations by Chinese and Manchurians; relations with British and Americans; control of national anti-espionage.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS MONTHLY REPORT. Dec. 1942

POW Camps, movements of women internees, employment
of POWs.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS MONTHLY REPORT, August 1944.

Attempted escapes by American and British POWs.

Matters to be watched concerning POWs.

American soldiers espionage activities in Philippines.

FUJITA, Hiroshi, AFFIDAVIT OF, on RECEIPT AND
DISTRIBUTION OF TELEGRAMS BY THE JAP GOVT.
29 Oct 1946

States that copies of telegrams transmitted
through the Swiss Legation re POWs were
delivered to the Military Affairs Section of
the War Ministry and to the Secretariat of the
War Minister

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"GENEVA P.O.W. CONVENTION -- JAPAN", Pre-Trial
Brief 10 Jan. 1946

Violations of the Geneva Convention, 27 July
1929, re pows. Contains 71 items as
violations with extracts of affidavits and
diplomatic correspondence in support.

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GREATER EAST ASIA, Documents relative to the War of.
(Re HOSPITAL SHIPS) Bound Collection filed by Foreign
Ministry. 22 Dec. 1941, 25 July 1945

Implicates: TOGO

Notifications via neutrals re designation of ships.
Protests re attacks on Hospital Ships, inhuman conduct
of Japanese. Reports re Italian ships. TOGO's letter on
improper designation of British hospital ship.

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"HOMMA, Masaharu, U.S.A. VS" Vol. 26, 27, 28.

Date: 5 Feb. 1946

Implicates: MATSUI, TOJO, MUTO

Homma's testimony on Chain of Command, Politics, etc.
Treatment of PWs in Vol 27

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A REPORT FROM IHARA, Jinjiro, Chief of Staff of Korean Army to KIMURA, Heitaro, Vice Minister of War, regarding the people's reaction to seeing English P.W.'s on 13 Oct. 1942.

IMPERIAL ORDINANCES, LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS
PERTAINING TO PRISONERS OF WAR (ATIS Doc. No.
10591). 1941, 1942, 1943, 1904.

Treatment, disciplinary laws, facilities, postal
regulations, e tc. re POWS.

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INFRINGEMENT OF THE LAWS OF WAR AND ETHICS BY THE
JAPANESE MEDICAL CORPS.

Source of original: Statements of prisoners of war
and captured documents.

Crimes against humanity involving killing of
wounded men and abuse of international agreements
re hospital ships.

(Atis research report No. 117, I.G. No.3860,6340.)

INTERNEED CIVILIANS, List of, in CHINA
September 30, 1944

List of Allied civilians interned in Civil
Assembly Centers in Shanghai
List of Italian internees.

INTERNEED CIVILIANS IN CHINA, List of
Dec. 31, 1944

List of American, British, Greek, Cuban, etc.
civilians internees

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"JAPANESE VIOLATIONS OF THE LAWS OF WAR" Bound
booklet published by Allied Translator and
Interpreter Service as ATIS (SWPA) Research
Report No. 72 (Supp 2) 23 June 1945

Study based on captured documents, statements
of POWs, intelligence reports, etc.

KING, AFFIDAVIT OF MAJ. GEN. EDWARD P. JR.,
re SURRENDER OF AMERICAN FORCES ON BATAAN
TO JAPANESE ARMY. 15 Jan 46

States circumstances of surrender of 9 April
1942. Was fired on while carrying white
flag; forced to surrender without assurance
of being treated as POWs.

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"LABOUR IMPOSED UPON PWS OFFICERS AND NCOS," and "WAR
MINISTER'S ADDRESS TO NEWLY APPOINTED CHIEFS OF PW CAMPS"
Document. Date! 1942

Implicates: TOJO

Order and speech requiring labor of PWs in contravention
of Geneva Convention.

LAWS & ORDERS ORIGINATED BY LT.GEN. SATO,
DURING HIS TOUR OF DUTY AS HEAD OF WAR
SERVICE DEPARTMENT. Date: Apr 42 - 2 Dec 44

Implicates: SATO, Kenryo

36 Laws and orders promulgated during SATO's
tour of duty. Imperial Edict #619 (1933)
concerns POWs

LETTERS OF INQUIRY SUBMITTED THROUGH SWISS,
SWEDISH LEGATIONS & OTHER AGENCIES AS TO WHERE
ABOUTS & STATE OF HEALTH OF INTERNEES, Envelope
containing. 1943-5

Concerns subjects of Britain, Canada, Mexico,
Australia, New Zealand, Netherland, Denmark,
Belgium. Many requests ignored

PRISONER OF WAR, 1931-45

2547

LIST OF THOSE PUNISHED BY MILITARY COMMISSIONS IN
JAPAN PROPER (Whites), prepared by First Demobi-
lization Ministry, 12 Dec 1931 - 15 August 1945.

Lists seventeen cases, charge, punishment, name
of prisoner, and commission which handed down
sentence.

(certified)

"MATERIALS FOR FUTURE REFERENCE," an Outline of KOISO's Official Activities and Reasons Therefore, Handwritten Notes of KOISO Kuniaki, titled, Undated.

Implicates: KOISO; OKAWA, Shumei; KIDO, Koichi; PU-YI; UGAKI, Kazushige; HATA, Shunroku; ITAGAKI, Seishiro; TOJO, Hideki; SHIGEMITSU, Mamoru; YONAI, Mitsumasa.

Justification of KOISO's acts written in SUGAMO Prison. Subjects discusses include: Imperialism & Korea; March Incident; October & May 15 Incident; Manchurian Incident; Shanghai Incident; Nairar Incident; China Incident; Korea and POWs; etc., etc.

MURPHY, CAPTAIN John D., DIRECTOR WAR CRIMES,
PACIFIC OCEAN AREA, AFFIDAVIT OF.

Copy #4. Affidavit of MURPHY with attached
chart, lists, of trial of war criminal
suspects, flyers lost over South Pacific
islands, etc

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2888, 2889

NEUTRAL EMBASSIES IN TOKYO, File of Correspondence between JAPANESE FOREIGN MINISTRY AND, ON INQUIRIES RE INDIVIDUAL CITIZENS OF BOTH NEUTRAL AND WARRING COUNTRIES. 1942-1945

- 2888 - File contains over 300 loose unbound inquiries.
2889 - Bound file of same subject as above, but largely concerning civilians of neutral countries.

NEW ZEALANDERS, PWs and INTERNEES, Certificate and statistics on, and final fate.

Statistics on those liberated, dead, unaccounted for, etc.

"NOTICE OF PARTIAL COLLAPSE OF BARRACKS OF FIFTH DETACHMENT, TOKYO PRISONER OF WAR CAMP, AND CONSEQUENT PRISONER DEATHS & INJURY", Memorandum. 11 Jan. 1944

Report from Chief, Eastern Army, to Chief, POW Administrative Division. Complete review of the collapse of certain barracks in NIIGATA under wind of only 7 meters velocity.

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2425 - 2445 Incl

"PACMIRS WAR CRIMES INFORMATION SERIES", Printed pamphlets issued by Military Intelligence Division, U.S. War Dept., "Confidential", Nos. 1-20; and Inventory List.

Date: Nov. 45 - Jul 46

Implicates: SHIRATORI, Toshio; SAITO: Ryu; Maj. Gen. NAKANO, Yoshitsugu

Includes following subjects taken from captured documents: Philippine PW camp reports; MP rosters; ultra-nationalistic magazine articles; combat reports; material on Phil. officials, police, Indians, etc; Mukden PW camp report; jingoistic speeches; Japanese courts-martial; Canton internment camp; weekly accession list.

PRISONERS OF WAR, ~~Japanese~~

2845-2850

PHILIPPINES, AFFIDAVITS AND TESTIMONY ON
ATROCITIES IN 1943-46

Testimonies, affidavits re atrocities, use of
white prisoners, and Honma testimonies

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"PRISONERS, CONTROL AND WATCH OF", File Date:
1945

Implicates: SUZUKI

Contains answer to inquiries of the Swiss
Legation (Case one of Capt. John Joseph
MURPHY) verymuch delayed.

RADIOGRAM FROM U.S. WAR DEPARTMENT GIVING
STATISTICS ON JAPANESE ATROCITIES AGAINST
U.S. ARMED FORCES, (Incl. Philippine Army),
Certified Copy of. 9 July 1946

Figures on atrocities committed against
military and civilian personnel.

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RELIEF GOODS DISTRIBUTION TO PRISONER OF WAR AND
CIVILIAN INTERNEE CAMPS (Japan), Report on
Date: 1942-45.

Report taken from PW Bureau files. No indication
of final disposition.

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SEATIC Rpt., Affidavit, EXTRACT, #14, 7/7/4
Undated

All airmen will not be treated as PWs, but turned over to Gendarmerie. All will be dealt with severely by area army except those who can be put to some special use.

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SECRET TELEGRAM FROM CHIEF OF STAFF, KOREAN ARMY TO VICE MINISTER OF WAR, 1 March 1942, in re transporting POWs to Korea.

Request for two thousand Eng. and Amer. POWs to be sent to Korea for propaganda purposes.

(telegram)

STATE DEPT. BULLETIN: Japanese ATROCITIES:
United States Protests & Representations to
Japan. 5 Feb. 1944

Shows US protests from Pearl Harbor to 27
Jan. 1944, also Japan's neglect of these.

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SWISS LEGATION IN TOKYO, TWENTY-TWO NOTES EXCHANGED BETWEEN THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT AND THE, on REPRESENTATIONS RE ILL-TREATMENT OF PRISONERS OF WAR MADE BY BRITISH GOVERNMENT THROUGH SWISS GOVERNMENT. 8 July 42 - 5 July 45

Implicates: TANI: TOGO: TOJO: SHIGEMITSU: (Insofar as Foreign Ministers)

Twenty-two items, 2765-A-1 to 2765-A-22

SWISS LEGATION, Letter of protest through, to Japan.
1943-5

Implicates: KURITA, Takeo; SETO, Kosaku; WATANABE, Kihei;
HOSHIMOTO.

Concerning; OMORI camp; General Sutton in Calcutta;
British PWs in HAINAN; Australians at SAIGON; Americans
in P.I.; civilians at MANILA; Indians in SW Pacific;
American airman in NEW GUINEA; American PWs in P.I.
American at Angeles, P.I.; PWs in FORMOSA.

SWISS LEGATION, TOKYO, AND JAPANESE FOREIGN MINISTRY,
Correspondence between, ON TREATMENT OF ALLIED POWS AND
INTERNEES, INCLUDING PROTEST FROM AMERICAN GOVERNMENT.

Dec. 42 - Mar 45.

Implicates: TANI, SHIGEMITSU (in so far as Foreign Ministers)

Includes Documents No. 2751-A-1 to 2751-A-6.

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SWISS MINISTER AND JAPANESE FOREIGN MINISTRY, Correspondence between, re ADDITIONAL FOOD FOR BRITISH PRISONERS OF WAR. (letters of 16 and 23 June 1943) June 43.

Japanese inform Swiss that food is sufficient.

TOJO to Commanders and Officials of POW and
Internee Camps, Instructions of. Date: 25 June
1942.

Implicates: TOJO

Advocates rigid supervision of PWs and local
recognition of superiority of the Japanese.

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"UNITED KINGDOM, STRENGTH AND CASUALTIES OF THE ARMED FORCES AND AUXILLIARY SERVICES OF THE, 1939 to 1945".
Published by the British Govt. Date: June 1946

Includes figures on UK forces and captured POWs in war with Japan.

YAP, SIX SWORN STATEMENTS FROM THE INHABITANTS OF.

Date: Feb. Mar. 1946

Re: Forced native labor

Treatment of American PWs

(No evidence of fortifications before 1941)

PRISONERS OF WAR, 1918

3091

WITH THE DIE HARDS IN SIBERIA, by WARD, John,
Col., 1918.

Description of Japanese war strategy, fighting behavior, and their exclusion of other Allies in administration and operations plans against the Terrorists (German-Magyar-Cossack forces) in Siberia, and description of Army's policy towards nationals of other countries.

(book)

PRISONERS OF WAR, agreement re
FRENCH INDO CHINA and THAILAND, TREATY and PROTOCOL
between, Signed at SAIGON 31 Jan. 1941.
Date: 31 Jan. 1941

Truce agreement with terms re movement of armed forces,
areas to be controlled, and PWS.
Supervision of execution under Jap. plenipotentiary.
Protocol on propaganda, communications, consulates, etc.

ATIS, SWPA Inf. Bulletin #10 on JAPANESE INTERPRETATION OF LAWS OF WAR RESPECTING AIR POWS, 29 April 1944.

Source of original: Issue of "Police Gazette" for Oct. 1942 and weekly report published by Govt Inf. Bureau 19 Oct. 1942.

Illegal punishment of Air POWs.

"Policy toward NEUTRAL POWERS and other Problems"

15 Dec. 1941

Details of plan for management of the South Sea Area, including the Philippines and the Netherlands East Indies.

Details concerning the punishment of air raid aviators.

Principle for the construction of GEA co-prosperity sphere.

PRISONERS OF WAR, atrocities to

2772

FRENCH INDO-CHINA, FORTY-ONE AFFIDAVITS &
OFFICIAL REPORTS ON JAPANESE ATROCITIES.
LC 1942-1945.

By areas: HA-GIANG, VACHAY, HANOI, LANG-SON,
HAIPHONG, BAO-GIANG, HAO-BINH, VINH, SAIGON.

Evidence, affidavits & official reports of
atrocities in 41 cases. 2772-A-1 to 2772-J-3.

PRISONERS OF WAR, Australian

2702-2703

a) "AUSTRALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR (RAN, AMF, RAAF) IN THE FAR EAST", Chart b) Mimeographed "LIST NO. 3 of JAPANESE WAR CRIMINALS CHARGED UNDER THE WAR CRIMES ACT 1945 by AUSTRALIAN MILITARY AUTHORITIES" 1946

2702-Figures on Australians who died while POWs.
2703- Charges findings and sentences awarded by military courts, against Japanese defendants at Rabaul, 1946.

PRISONERS OF WAR, British treatment

1805

MAXWELL, A. re U.K. TREATMENT OF JAPANESE
POW 16 April 46

Shows accords with Geneva Convention

"PRISONER OF WAR CAMP IN 1944, REPORT ON THE INSPECTION OF
Date: 1944

Contains:

1. Report of FORMOSAN M.P. commander re inspection of camp
2. Instructions of Commandant of FORMOSAN PW camp to Chief of Control Bureau re visit of Int'l Red Cross.
- 3.& 4. Instructions of Chief, General Affairs Sec. of FORMOSA camp to Commandant of branch camp preparatory to visit of Red Cross delegate.
5. Report of IRC delagate Max PESTALIZZI re his inspection of FUKUOKA branch camp #12.
6. Report on conversation between BERNARD of Swiss Legation and WASHIMI Commdt of PW camp #2, TOKYO
- &. Report by Mr. ANGST of IRC re FORMOSA PW camp.

PRISONERS OF WAR, Canada

2295 - 2297 incl

CANADA, CERTIFICATE re PRISONERS OF WAR

2295-Figures on RCAF personnel, dated 14 Nov 46
2296-Figures on CANADIANS (Navy) 13 March 46
2297-Figures on CANADIANS (Army) 11 March 46

PRISONER OF WAR CASUALTIES, British

1804

HARTLEY SHAWCROSS, Atty. Gen. re PRISONER OF WAR
CASUALTIES, 18 April 1946.

List of British casualties - army, navy, mer-
chant seamen.

(Certificate)

PRISONERS OF WAR CAPTURED, 1941-42

1493

HISTORY OF GREATER EASTERN WAR, 8 Dec 41 - 7
Dec. 42. (1942)

Implicates: TOJO; SHIMADA; NAGANO; TERAUCHI;
HATA, Shinroku

Official announcements mainly from Army, Navy,
Intelligence Bureau, and Imperial Hqs re places
attacked, scenes of action, losses of planes,
ships, military appointments, prisoners of war
captured, and general progress of war.

CENSORSHIP OF INFORMATION RE POWS, TELEGRAM
RIKUHO NO. 1374 from Chief of Information
Bureau, War Ministry on. 21 Dec. 1943.

Specific directions to suppress any news of
POW mistreatment, location, forced labor,
examinations, etc.

Certified copy of "B. A. 84"

1102
PRISONERS OF WAR, Certified dispatches from the
~~British Consul in Geneva to the British Secretary~~
~~of State for Foreign Affairs in London re.~~
1944-1945

Reports from observers through the International
Red Cross on conditions in the Japanese intern-
ment camps. FUKUSHIMA, KAGAWA, **MYOGO**.

RECORD OF TRIAL BEFORE MILITARY COMMISSION,
USAF, China, "USA vs MIKI, Toru" Date:
Feb. 1946.

Implicates: MIKI, Toru, comm.officer and
jurisprudence officer, KWANTUNG Army.

Includes statement that MIKI was present at
execution at POW camp, presided at trial of
POWS sentenced to death.

1515

PRISONERS OF WAR, Collection of Regulations on.
Nov. 1943

Regulations consist of 98 articles - complete index in
English attached. First 36 articles and 68th are ATIS
Doc. 10591 (Evidentiary Document 1303)

PRISONERS OF WAR, COLLECTION OF TELEGRAMS AND MEMOS
COPIED FROM FILES OF THE DEPT OF STATE. 30 Nov 45

Violation of the Geneva Convention
Document contains messages sent By US through neutral
governments of Spain and Switzerland, regarding
mistreatment of POW's

PRISONERS OF WAR, ~~re~~ communications

673

FOREIGN AFFAIRS MONTHLY REPORT, Dec. 1943

Intervention of Swiss for American POWs re writing
date on communications.

PRISONER OF WAR CONVENTION, Telegram from Foreign Minister
TOGO to Argentine Charge d'Affaires re. 29 Jan. 1942

Implicates: TOGO, Shigenori; TOJO; KIMURA, Heitaro

Togo states Japan is not bound by Geneva Convention in
reply to Argentine query. (See Doc. No. 1498)

PRISONERS OF WAR crimes

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See main card under

FIVE LARGE MAPS SHOWING AREAS OF JAPANESE ARMY
COMMANDS DURING THE PACIFIC WAR, AND CLO MEMORANDUM,
Dated 31 July 1947, giving explanations of maps, and
noting corrections to maps enclosed with memo of
28 June 1947.

PRISONER OF WAR CRIMES AND PUNISHMENT, File of
Date: 1944

Implicates: SHIGEMITSU, Mamoru

1. English protest against too severe punishment of Sgt. BURRIDGE, and Japanese answer.
2. Reportere sentence of five American PWs, CUNNINGHAM, BRIMMER, STEWART, COULSON, BREWER For attempted escape.
3. Report re death of Australian Army Capt. MATTHEWS.

PRISONERS OF WAR , death records

775

Date: 1942, 1943, 1944

Death records of American, British and Dutch
PsW in Java POW Camp.

2200

PRISONERS OF WAR, Copies of LAWS REGARDING, including
IMPERIAL EDICT (1904) No. 225; Law No. 33 (1905) and
LAW FOR PUNISHMENT OF PRISONERS OF WAR (9 March 1943)

Law for punishment of POWs apply capital punishment for
many offenses.

2197

PRISONERS OF WAR, Collection of Various REGULATIONS RE,
marked "Secret" and issued by the POW INTELLIGENCE BUREAU.
Date: Nov. 1943

Regulations in minute detail; clothes; pay food; disposal,
geographically; mail; etc.
War conventions discussed- Japan denies it has ratified
treaty re treatment of POWs. Labor of POWs discussed.

PRISONERS OF WAR , death record

773

BORNEO DEATH LIST (5 copies)

Date: 1942-1945

**Death records of American, British and Dutch POWS at
POW camp in Borneo.**

PRISONERS OF WAR, death records

776

HONG KONG DEATH LIST

Date: 1941-1945

Death records of American and British PsW in
POW camp, Hong Kong and Mukden.

PRISONERS OF WAR, death records

774

SHANGHAI DEATH RECORD (5 copies)

Date: 1942-1945

Death records of American, British, and Dutch
POW's in POW camp in Shanghai.

PRISONERS OF WAR, deaths 1403
PACMIRS WAR CRIMES INFORMATION SERIES, #11 CLASSIFIED:
"Confidential" 8 March 1946.

Deaths of Allied PWs in Mukden PW camp from 1942-45.

PRISONERS OF WAR, deaths

1406

PACMIRS, WAR CRIMES INFORMATION SERIES, #15, Classified:
"confidential," 22 March 1946.

Summary of 140 cases of persons condemned to death by Japanese Military Courts for anti-Japanese activities. Also, details on 60 additional persons listed as having died of "natural causes" while in custody of Japanese Military Police.

PRISONERS OF WAR, deaths

PRISONER OF WAR REPORTS, File of 1944

Implicates: SHIGEMITSU; SUZUKI

1. Request from British Govt for list of British PWs.
2. Report from Director of PW Information Bureau re British request for PW list of Burma, Thailand.
3. Report by Director of PW Info. Bur. re US protest on cremation of dead PWs.
4. Report from Director of PW Infor. Bur. re list of US PWs who met disaster off LUZON, 15 Dec.

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PRISONER OF WAR, detail work

REQUESTS TO THE WAR MINISTER (GEN. TOJO) FOR ASSIGN-
MENTS OF PWs TO WORK IN THE JOBAN COAL MINES, 19 June
1943.

Evidence that the War Minister was responsible for
assignment of prisoners to work details.

PRISONERS OF WAR, disposition of

549

ATIS INFORMATION BULLETIN #72, Supp. 1: ON HANDLING AND
DISPOSITION OF POWS, March 1944.

Execution of Prisoners of War.

(extracts)

2767

PRISONERS OF WAR, EIGHT LETTERS EXCHANGED BETWEEN SWISS
MINISTER AND JAPANESE FOREIGN MINISTRY RE ILL-TREATMENT OF
5 July 1943 - 20 July 1944

Implicates: SHIGEMITSU, Mamoru

Eight letters concern British protests on Japanese treatment of POWs in Thailand

FOREIGN AFFAIRS MONTHLY REPORT, August 1944.

Attempted escapes by American and British POWs..

Matters to be watched concerning POWs.

American soldiers espionage activities in Philippines.

PRISONERS OF WAR, escape of

669

MONTHLY REPORT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, Aug. 1943.

Disposition of nationals at internment camps.
Arrest of John Joseph Holland, Australian.
State of employment of POWs brought from P.I. and Korea.
Prisoner escapes.
Establishment of school for Chinese by Gen. Iwane Matsui.
Conditions of Chinese workmen.

PRISONERS OF WAR, escape attempts

658

MONTHLY REPORT, FOREIGN AFFAIRS, June 1944.

Escape attempts of American POWs. American POWs employed in coal mines of FUKUOKA Prison Camp.

PRISONERS OF WAR, evacuation and transfer

3262

COMMUNICATION RE POWS TO BE EVACUATED TO JAPAN, 19 Oct.
1942.

Implicates: OKA, Takasumi; UEMURA, Mikio

POWs evacuated to Japan and others transferred from
Yokosuka Naval Station to Yokohama Army POW Camp

PRISONERS OF WAR, exchange of

666

FOREIGN AFFAIRS MONTHLY REPORT, Oct. 1942.

Routine report on handling of exchange of prisoners.

PRISONERS OF WAR, execution of

551

ATIS INFORMATION BULLETIN #10, SWPA: NOTEBOOK ENTRIES
ON KILLING OF PRISONERS, 29 April 1944.

Execution of POWs.

(extract)

PRISONERS OF WAR, execution of

559

ATIS BULLETIN #10; MEMO OF VERBAL ORDER ON DISPOSITION
OF PRISONERS, 29 April 1944.

Implicates: TSUKAOKA, Torashige

POWs who display hostile feeling to be disposed of.

(extract)

ATIS BULLETIN #42: on TREATMENT OF PRISONERS OF WAR,
17 Feb. 1943 - 15 May 1944.

Source of original: Diary of SUZUKI, Tatsunosuke;
CO 33 Inf. Regt, 16 Div.

Execution of POWs and Filipinos.

(extract)

PRISONERS OF WAR, execution

ATIS BULLETIN #1703, SWPA: OFFICIAL JAP INSTRUCTIONS
FOR DISPOSING OF POWs, 8 Feb. 1944.

Execution of POWs. They will be counted among "abandoned
corpses." Killings without witnesses.

(extract)

PRISONERS OF WAR, executions

ATIS, S/W PACIFIC AREA BULLETIN, No. 2062, 4 June 45.

Source of original: NISHIBORI, Keiji of ABE Force.

Beheading of Allied Prisoners of War.

PRISONERS OF WAR, execution of

553

Japanese authorized to kill anyone below officer rank
among POWs.

(extract)

PRISONERS OF WAR, execution

2172

"PETITION OF LT. GEN. FUKUEI, Shimpei ON SHOOTING OF PWs,
Extract from", Certified copy. Date: 12 March 1946

Implicates: TOJO; Lt. Gen. UEMURA; SATO, Masatoshi

Petition says that the shooting of recaptured escaped
prisoners of war was done on order from War Ministry in
Tokyo.

PRISONERS OF WAR, File concerning treatment of. Contain-
ing PROTESTS RE TREATMENT, LODGED BY U.S. AND BRITISH, &
ANSWERS BY THE JAPANESE. 1944 - 1945

Implicates: SUZUKI, Maru

1. re pamphlet "How to Examine POWs"
2. re POWs at SHANGHAI
3. POWS at KITA ASHIGARA
4. re AWA MARU and answers to protests
5. Reply to Britain re POWs in BANGKOK, SIAM.
6. re execution of air crew in NEW GUINEA, "ignore"
7. atrocities in BURMA, and note by Lt TAKEUCHI to ignore
8. Foreign Office communique, with note of Maj. MOTOKURA to ignore.

PRISONERS OF WAR, File of Correspondence re

Date: July 44- Aug 45

Implicates: SUZUKI, (Minister in Foreign Ministry)

1. Aug, 8 1945, re Richard CICURE, RAF, Egyptian subject
2. Re note from Papal delegate inquiring about 3 American POWs.
3. Series of letters re Mr. and Mrs. MASON, T.D.

1613

PRISONERS OF WAR, File of correspondence between SWISS
and Japanese Governments on treatment and fate of.

12 Feb. 1943

Implicates: KIMURA, Heitaro

Jap. Govt. reply to US (through Swiss Minister) re Jap.
radio broadcasts that authorities intended to try US
POWs before military tribunals, and to impose severe
penalties.

Includes file of correspondence on Doolittle Fliers.

2225

"PRISONERS OF WAR, General Information on", Handwritten
and typed file - (B.A. 83 and B.A. 84). 1942-43

Implicates: SUZUKI, Maru (Special Plenipotentiary)

Protests from Britain on POW treatment in RANGOON, WAKE,
GUAM, and answers thereto.

Request from Britain on behalf of POWs in JAKARTA; inquiry
re truth of punishment of seamen; with unsigned scribbled
notes recommending no answer be sent.

PRISONERS OF WAR, finance

**2354 - 2360
incl**

**IMPERIAL ORDINANCES PERTAINING TO MILITARY PROCEDURES AND
REGULATIONS, Collection of. (Certified copies)**

- 2354- Legality of actions of military administrations.
- 2355- POW Penal Code, 9 Mar 43 - revision of 1905 law.
- 2356- Re other branches assisting in Kempei (MP) duties.
- 2357- Status of officers within GEA Ministry, 7 Nov. 42
- 2358- Actions of Mil. Admin. officials in KARAFUTO, legal
- 2359- Special Wartime Criminals in Formosa.
- 2360- Re charge of accounts of money to POWs.

ALLOWANCE & RATION FILE OF PRISONER OF WAR AND
CIVIL INTERNEES, 1943

Correspondence re American request to Jap. Govt
concerning lending public US funds to Americans
interned in Japan

2489 - 2494

PRISONERS OF WAR HELD BY JAPANESE, Miscellaneous Copies of
Extracts Pertaining to. PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU.
1943 - 1944

Extracts-

- 2489- re punishment of POWs, 27 July 1943
- 2490- re punishment of American and British Marines in
the PHILIPPINES, 29 July 1943.
- 2491- re censorship matters, 20 Dec. 1943.
- 2492- re destruction of 5th Branch Camp TOKYO, list of
casualties, 11 Jan. 1944.
- 2493- telegrams from THAI Camp re diseases of POWs, 5&7 Sep
- 2494- communique re communications technicians, 21 June
1943.

2753

PRISONERS OF WAR IN HONGKONG AREA, Synopsis of AFFIDAVITS
RE TREATMENT OF. (Order Nos. 2 to 20, incl)
Dec. 1941 - Aug 1945

Description of mistreatment, murder, starvation, etc. of
POW~~s~~ nurses. Theft of Red Cross parcels, etc.

PRISONER OF WAR, illegal punishment

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JAPANESE ORDER TO KILL ENEMY PILOTS -- NEWS ARTICLE IN
KEIJO DAILY NEWS, 21 July 1942.

Implicates: UMETSU, AG of Kwantung Div.

Violations of rules of war and Geneva Convention.

PRISONERS OF WAR, Imperial Edict

2200

PRISONERS OF WAR, Copies of LAWS REGARDING,
including IMPERIAL EDICT (1904) No. 225; Law
No 33 (1905) and LAW FOR PUNISHMENT OF
PRISONERS OF WAR (9 March 1943)

Law for punishment of POWs apply capital
punishment for many offenses

MASSACRE OF CHINESE IN MALAYA IN 1942. (1942-46)

Implicates: YAMASHITA, Tomoyuki; SUZUKI, Sasaku

Excerpts from Imperial Hqs Greater East Asia Operations' Diary, 1942-45 and "Outline of Investigation concerning Cruelties Toward Chinese, Principally in the Malayan Operations (Singapore)" conducted by POW Investigation Division, 6 and 22 Nov. 1945.

PRISONER OF WAR, interrogation report

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JICPOA PRELIMINARY INTERROGATION REPORT # 31.
1944

PW interrogation report re fortification of
Mandated Islands.

2782, 2783, 2784

PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION AND HANDLING OF NOTES THEREON,
Three Affidavits Relating to. 1946

Implicates: ARAKI, Sadao

2782- Affidavit of SUZUKI, Tadakatsu on handling of American notes.

2783- Affidavit of ISHIKAWA, Tatsuzo on his book "The Living Soldier" banned by Home Minister.

2784- Affidavit of HODA, Haruo, re instructions issued by C/S to POW Camp Commanders re treatment of white prisoners.

PRISONERS OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU

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COMPLETE FILE OF LAWS AND ORDINANCES, (HOREI ZEN-SHO) for 1941, (Vol. 2). Extract is P962, giving IMPERIAL ORDINANCES as described below.

Date: 24 Dec. 1941

Implicates: TOJO, SHIMADA, EMPEROR

Imperial Ordinances establishing POW camps and Chain of command. Organization of the POW Information Bureau.

PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU

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BURNING OF PW DOCUMENTS, LETTER (no signature)

Date: Not dated

Implicates: Lt Gen Hiroshi TAMURA.

Reply to SCAP Memo of 21 Oct 1945 re burning of
POW Information Bureau, and list of documents
burned.

PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU

IMPERIAL ORDINANCE ON ORGANIZATION OF PRISONER OF WAR
MANAGEMENT & IMPERIAL ORDINANCE ON ORGANIZATION OF
PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU, 24 Dec. 1941.

Implicates: All defendants

PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU

1303

IMPERIAL ORDINANCES, LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS
PERTAINING TO PRISONERS OF WAR (ATIS Doc. No. 10591).
1941, 1942, 1943, 1904.

Treatment, disciplinary laws, facilities, postal
regulations, etc. re POWS.

PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU, formation 1761

The GREATER EAST ASIA WAR AND HOME SITUATION, compiled by the Political Information Corporation, July 1942.

Implicates: TOJO: TOGO: HORI: SHIMADA: KOBAYASHI: OHIRA: KAYA: TANI: YOSHISEKI: HIRAIDE.

Reports and articles re events from beginning of war until July 1942.

- 1) Beginning of war - declaration of war, emergency measures, etc. (2) Hawaii, SW Pacific air raids, occupation, seizure of British and American gunboats, at Shanghai (3) Hong Kong (4) Philippines (5) Malay, fall of Singapore.

PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU, Memorandum
(NO. 3.)

By: Major General TAMURA

Implicates: TAMURA, Hiroshi; TATSUTA, Lt. Col;
YASUDA, Maj; YOKOI, 1st Lt; BENIYA; YAGUCHI,
Ju; PW camp.head; MURATA, W/O FIJIKURA; NAITO,
Hideo; NISHI, Katsuzo; UJIEI, Mie.

PW camp CO's incidental notebook.
General conditions, outline of report to Army
Vice Minister, Report on B 29 prisoners.

PRIVY COUNCIL Proceedings, "PRISONER OF WAR Bureau of
Information 24 Dec. 1941

Implicates: TOJO; SUZUKI; HARA, Yoshimichi; ARAKI; MINAMI
Council approves establishment of POW Bureau of Informa-
tion. Reporter cites authority for establishment of
Bureau, (Hague International Peace Conference, 1907) &
Treaty No. 4, 1912.
Organization of Bureau.

2734

PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU, COMMUNICATION FROM
CO ON "SUPPLEMENT TO NAME LIST OF POWS PUNISHED".
27 July 1943.

Order to all COs of POW Camps to submit separate reports
on prisoners punished for breach of "disciplinary regulations"; regular reports to include only those punished
by court-martial.

Certified copy "B.A. 84"

PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU, establishment 1787

ESTABLISHMENT OF PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION
BUREAU: PRISONERS OF WAR IN JAPAN, 19 Oct 43

Lists of POWs in Hakodate, Tokyo, Osaka, Zentsuj
Fukuoka, Korea, Formosa, Mukden, Shanghai,
Hongkong, & Thailand prison camps

2662

**PRISONER OF WAR INVESTIGATION REPORTS, made by POW
Investigation Division, Central Investigation
Committee, June 1945 - March 1946.**

Contains 27 reports re treatment of POWs.

PRISONERS OF WAR, Korean

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FOREIGN AFFAIRS MONTHLY REPORT, May 1944.

Incitement of Korean laborers by English POWs.

PRISONERS OF WAR, Japanese

1805

**MAXWELL, A. RE U. K TREATMENT OF JAPANESE
POW, 16 April 1946**

Shows accords with Geneva Convention

PRISONER OF WAR, Japanese

2686

NIMITZ, C. W., Admiral - Affidavit on
COMPLIANCE WITH GENEVA PRISONER OF WAR CON-
VENTION, 11 Sept 1946

Treatment of Japanese prisoners in accordance
with Geneva POW convention of 1929.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS MONTHLY REPORT, Nov. 1942.

Results of employment of POWs and their use in the
KayaKejima Shipbuilding Yard, Nagasaki Pref.

PRISONERS OF WAR, labor

668

FOREIGN AFFAIRS MONTHLY REPORT, Sept. 1942.

Employment of POWs in defense construction decided
by Cabinet Planning Board at request of Army.

ISHIDA, Eigumo, AFFIDAVIT OF. 9 Nov 1946

Implicates: IMPERIAL GENERAL STAFF: TOJO, Hideki

Review of some history of construction of BURMA
THAILAND RAILROAD, and authorities responsible
for use of prisoners on same

PRISONER OF WAR, labor

2687 thru 2701

JAPANESE ORDERS & INSTRUCTIONS RELATING TO
HANDLING, EMPLOYMENT, & DISPOSAL OF ALLIED
PRISONERS OF WAR covering general policy
principally as related to Taiwan (Formosa)
Prisoner of War Camps, 1942-45.

Implicates: KAWABARA, Naoichi

POW Labor in Formosa.

PRISONERS OF WAR, labor

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MONTHLY REPORT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, Aug. 1943.

Disposition of nationals at internment camps.
Arrest of John Joseph Holland, Australian.
State of employment of POWs brought from P.I. and Korea.
Prisoner escapes.
Establishment of school for Chinese by Gen. Iwane Matsui.
Conditions of Chinese workmen.

PRISONERS OF WAR, labor

2845 - 2850

PHILIPPINES, AFFIDAVITS & TESTIMONY ON
ATROCITIES IN 1943-46

Testimonies, affidavits, re atrocities use of
white prisoners, and Honma testimonies

PRISONERS OF WAR, labor

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58 PHOTOGRAPHS OF JAPANESE VICTORIES IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.
Dec. 1941 to May 1942.

Photographs taken of victories and prisoners at work
in the Philippine, Malaya, and Java, etc.

(Enlarged Photographs)

PRISONERS OF WAR, labor

2738

RADIO SKILLS OF ALLIED POWS, MEMORANDUM TO MAJOR YAMANO-
UCHI (Staff, POW Information Bureau) from MILITARY SECTION
ARMY HQ, OF IMPERIAL GENERAL HQ ASKING FOR INFORMATION ON.
21 June 1943

Lists electrical and radio communication skills desired
so that POWs so trained can be used in various Japanese
manufacturing concerns.

PRISONERS OF WAR (~~Japan~~) labor

580

REQUEST FOR 1500 PWs TO WORK IN MANCHURIAN WAR PLANT
(10 Sept. 1942)

Implicates: Vice-Minister of War of Sep. 1942, KIMURA,
Heitaro.

Communication from Kimura to Chief of Staff of Kwantung
Army.

PRISONERS OF WAR, labor

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SECRET SERVICE POLICE, Monthly reports of.
1942

American PWs used as labor in Osaka.

(Police report)

PRISONER OF WAR, labor

1304

RULES AND REGULATIONS CONCERNING LABOR FOR PRISONERS
OF WAR, 20 July 1942.

Implicates: SAWADA, Shigeru

Rules enforced by 13th Army (Japanese) re
POW labor

PRISONERS OF WAR, labor

2744

WAKAMATSU, Tadakazu, AFFIDAVIT OF, on CONSTRUCTION OF THE
BURMA-SIAM RAILROAD, 1943 and USE OF POWS THEREON.
Oct. 1946

Implicates: SUGIYAMA, Gen; TOJO, Hideki; KIMURA, Heitaro

WAKAMATSU, who was head of the Third Section of the General Staff (covering transportation and communications) places responsibility on the then Chief of Staff, SUGIYAMA, TOJO, and KIMURA.

THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS MONTHLY REPORT, Dec. 1942.

Movement, detention, and control of foreigners and Japanese connected with same. Visit to Japan by Wang Ching-Wei, head of National Government of China. Condition of POW labor.

PRISONERS OF WAR, laws regarding

See main card under

A COLLECTION OF LAWS AND ORDINANCES IN EXISTANCE,
Vol. 6 1941

PRISONER OF WAR LABOR, report on

6 Oct. 1942

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Implicates: KONDO, Kaitaro; TOJO, Hideki; KIMURA, Heitaro

Official note by KONDO (Governor of KANAGAWA Pref.) to
Ministers of Welfare and Home Affairs; copies to Eastern
Area Army Commander and War Ministry.

Report on PWs at YOKOHAMA and KAWASAKI camps.

POW, list of those punished

2547

LIST OF THOSE PUNISHED BY MILITARY COMMISSIONS IN
JAPAN PROBER (Whites), prepared by First Demobilization
Ministry, 12 Dec 1931 - 15 August 1945.

Lists seventeen cases, charge, punishment, name of
prisoner, and commission which handed down sentence.

(certified)

PRISONER OF WAR MANAGEMENT

**IMPERIAL ORDINANCE ON ORGANIZATION OF PRISONER OF
WAR MANAGEMENT & IMPERIAL ORDINANCE ON ORGANIZATION OF
PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU, 24 Dec. 1941.**

Implicates: All defendants

PRISONERS OF WAR (Manchuria)

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REQUEST FOR 1500 PWs WORK IN MANCHURIAN WAR PLANT
(10 Sept. 1942)

Implicates: Vice-Minister of War of Sep. 1942, KIMURA,
Heitero.

Communication from Kimura to Chief of Staff of Kwantung
Army.

PRISONERS OF WAR, Mandated Is.

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JICPOA INTERROGATION REPORT # 31.

1944

Screening of PW re fortification of Mandated Islands.

PRISONERS OF WAR, Miscellaneous Files re. 1942

Reports, rules, transfers, deaths, clothing issues,
mail, security etc. etc.

POW camps: YAWATA, ZENTSUJI, PHILIPPINES, HONG KONG,
KOREA, MALAY, SHANGHAI, SIAM JAVA BORNEO, SHINAGAWA,
HAKONE.

Persons mentioned: McMULLEN, Navy Capt; and Aide;
GRIFFITH, A.H.; BUCHER; CARROLL;

PRISONERS OF WAR, Miscellaneous documents re. 1942

PW camps:

ZENTSUJI, OSAKA, KANTONG, FORMOSA, KAWASAKI, SHINAGAWA,
YOKOHAMA, SHANGHAI, HONG KONG, MUKDEN.

Lists, regulations, sentences, Information Bureau reports,
judgement against Lt. Col. WOOLEY, re prisoners received
from German ship, allowances, CHUBUGUN regulations.

PRISONERS OF WAR, Miscellaneous documents re. 1942

PW camps mentioned:

Thailand, Malay, Philippine, Java, Borneo, MUKDEN, Korea,
HONG KONG, SHANGHAI, MOJI, SINGAPORE, OSAKA, ZENTSUJI, K
KAMAISHI, MURORAN, YOKOHAMA, KOKURA.

Reports re camps, transfers, disembarkations, camp regulations, establishments, hospitalizations, disposition of enemy patents.

PRISONERS OF WAR, Miscellaneous documents re.
1942

Camps mentioned: TOKYO, OSAKA, HONG KONG, SHANGHAI,
ZENTSUMI,

Rosters, PW Information Bureau Monthly reports, Interna-
tional Red Cross inspections, labor applications, etc, etc

PRISONERS OF WAR, Miscellaneous Files re
1942

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PW camps mentioned: Formosa, HYOGO, ZENTSUJI, TOKYO,
YAWATA, Korea, TAIWAN,

PWs mentioned: Governor of FIC, BEKETT,

Reports on: PW punishments, transfers, regulations, deaths,
labor, etc.; Court martial of Burma rape, decoration for
Army dog, etc.

PRISONERS OF WAR, Miscellaneous Files regarding
1942

Camps mentioned: SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, KAWASAKI, ZENTSUJI
KYOTO, TAIWAN, KOREA, HONG KONG, YAWATA, BORNEO

Names mentioned: CAMMERY, CAMACHO, DESRIOYKE, WEIGANT,
BASS, BENSON, TAYLOR.

Reports of PW deaths, transfers, escapes, F06R, etc, etc.

Use of PWs for propaganda.

PRISONERS OF WAR, Miscellaneous Files re
1942

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Camps mentioned: TOKYO, ZENTSUJI, KAWASAKI, YOKOHAMA,
Malaya, Thailand, Philippines.
Names mentioned. REID, STEDMAN, CARR, WYNNE, PARKER,
DE ROSA, KNIGHT, YOUNG, GOV.

PRISONERS OF WAR, military police

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ATIS RESEARCH REPORT NO. 119 "JAPANESE MILITARY POLICE
SERVICE" 28 Feb. 1945

Report prepared by ATIS from statements of POWs and captured documents re Japanese Military Police Service and relationship of Military Police in field to Imperial GHQ, range of powers and duties. List of police units and alphabetical list of MP officers.

PRISONERS OF WAR, North China

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MONTHLY REPORT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, Sep. 1943.

POWs in North China, treatment of. Interned March 20, 1943

PRISONERS OF WAR, NEI

2750

DEWEERD, Dr. K.M., STATEMENT OF, ON JAPANESE
TREATMENT OF POWS & INTERNEES, NEI. 1946

PRISONERS OF WAR, North China

1060

INVESTIGATION OF ENEMIES IN NORTH CHINA
1944-1945

Implicates: TANAKA, Shigezo; OZAWA, Nariichi;
TSUCHIYA, Keuro; AKIMOTO, Kenji; KITA, Nagao

Treatment of internees.

PRISONERS OF WAR, Official reports of information
channelled through the INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS.

1944-1945

1. POW camp MURCHISON.
2. Japanese drugging Chinese with opium.
3. Wanton killing of many Filipino civilians.
4. British protest through Swiss Legation re Punjab soldiers
5. Execution of Australian Capt. Colin Matthews, 22 June 45
6. Inquiry on 2 Australians beheaded in Saigon, Burma.
7. Assorted protests by British through Int'ntl Red Cross.

PRISONER OF WAR ORGANIZATION

3511-C

FILE OF OFFICIAL DOCUMENTS (KOBUN RUI SHU),
Series 65, 1941, Vol. 13 on ORGANIZATION, ARMY
MINISTRY, 1941

Prisoner of War Bureau Organization and
Camp regulation.

(bound volume)

PRISONER OF WAR, Philippines

2489 - 2494

PRISONERS OF WAR HELD BY JAPANESE, Miscellaneous Copies of
Extracts Pertaining to. PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU
1943 - 1944

Extracts-

2489- re punishment of POWs, 27 July 1943.

2490- re punishment of American and British Marines in
the PHILIPPINES, 29 July 1943.

2491- re censorship matters, 20 Dec. 1943.

2492- re destruction of 5th Branch Camp TOKYO, list of
casualties, 11 Jan. 1944.

2493- telegrams from THAI Camp re diseases of POWs, 5 & 7
September

2494- communique re communications technicians, 21 June
1943.

PRISONERS OF WAR, *Philippine*

778

PHILIPPINE DEATH RECORDS

DATE: 1942, 1943

Death records of American PsW, POW Camps,
Philippine Islands.

TREATMENT OF PRISONERS OF WAR, 1942-43.

Requests from Swiss Legation to improve treatment in prisoners in Seaul, Jinseu and Zentsuji.

Protests from Britain re mistreatment of prisoners in Thailand and Burma.

"PRISONERS OF WAR PUNISHED BY MILITARY COURT MARTIAL
DURING THE PERIOD 8 Dec. 1941 - August 1945, List of".
Typewritten. 17 July 1946

Charts give crime, punishment, date, name , and army unit
holding court martial. Sentences given. Covering letter
from General OYAMA states records of punishment of Army
Criminal Tribunal are "missing".

PRISONERS OF WAR PUNISHMENT ACT,

1576

IMPERIAL DIET PROCEEDINGS: WAR MINISTRY RECOMMENDATION
OF PASSAGE OF WAR PRISONERS PUNISHMENT ACT. 9 Feb '43

Implicates: KUMURA, Hyotaro

KIMURA, as Vice War Minister, recommends passage of act.
Important points are summarized.

PRISONERS OF WAR, punishment of

MILITARY REGULATIONS FOR PUNISHMENT OF ENEMY FLIERS
(13 August 1942)

Regulations issued by HATA, Shunroku for purpose of punishing American fliers who attacked Japanese mainland, Manchukuo, or the Chinese Expeditionary Force.

PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU, COMMUNICATION FROM CO ON "SUPPLEMENT TO NAME LIST OF POWS PUNISHED." 27 July 1943.

Order to all COs of POW Camps to submit separate reports on prisoners punished for breach of "disciplinary regulations"; regular reports to include only those punished by court-martial.

Certified copy "B.A. 84"

PRISONER OF WAR, punishment

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WAR PRISONER PUNISHMENT ACT (Act #41)

9 Feb. 1943

Death penalty possible for any act of violence,
resistance, disobedience of orders, or escape.

PRISONERS OF WAR, punishment law

2200

PRISONERS OF WAR, Copies of LAWS REGARDING,
including IMPERIAL EDICT (1904) No. 225; Law No.
33 (1905) and LAW FOR PUNISHMENT OF PRISONERS
(9 March 1943)

Law for punishment for POWs apply capital
punishment for many offenses

PRISONERS OF WAR PENAL CODE

2354 to 2360 incl

IMPERIAL ORDINANCE PERTAINING TO MILITARY PROCEDURES AND
REGULATIONS, Collection of. (Certified copies)

- 2354- Legality of actions of military administrations.
- 2355- POW Penal Code, 9 Mar 43 - revision of 1905 law.
- 2356- Re other branches assisting in Kempei (MP) duties.
- 2357- Status of officers within GEA Ministry, 7 Nov. 42
- 2358- Actions of Mil. Admin. officials in KARAFUTO, legal
- 2359- Special Wartime Criminal Law in Formosa.
- 2360- Re charge of accounts of money to POWs.

PRISONERS OF WAR, release of

1793

**TRIAL AND PUNISHMENT OF ALLIED AIRMAN; SHOOTING OF 11
AIRMEN IN 1945; ORDERS AT END OF WAR RELEASING PRISONERS
OF WAR, 1942-45**

**Implicates: KIMURA, Heitaro; TANABE, Moritake;
USHIROKUM, Jun**

**Kimura's order re treatment of POWs. Tanabe's
directive re treatment of enemy airmen. Record of
treatment of two US airmen captured March 1945 and
tried by Military Discipline Council. Army directives
of August 15 and 23, 1945 re military laws and treatment
of POWs.**

FOREIGN AFFAIRS MONTHLY REPORT, Sept. 1944.

Shipping of relief goods destined for War Prisoners and internees, in accordance with American proposal.

1568

PRISONER OF WAR REPORTS and PRE-SURRENDER NEGOTIATIONS.

Date: July - Sept. 1945

Copies of letters addressed to the SCAP from Aug. 16 to 31st 1945.

Original communications sent from Swiss and Swedish Legations in Tokyo re inquiries and requests from Allied Nations to Jap^l Govt. re POW affairs.

PRISONER OF WAR REPORTS, File of 1944

Implicates: SHIGEMITSU; SUZUKI

1. Request from British Govt for list of British PWs.
2. Report from Director of PW Information Bureau re British request for PW list of Burma, Thailand.
3. Report By Director of PW Info. Bur. re US protest on cremation of dead PWs.
4. Report from Director of PW Info. Bur. re list of US PWs who met disaster off LUZON, 15 Dec.

PRISONER OF WAR reports

24 Jan. 1945

1121

Statement of cruelty to which a British soldier was
subjected near Undaw, BURMA, 24 Jan. 1945

PRISONER OF WAR REPORT

1119

1. Torture and decapitation of American Airmen, 23 March 1944, Aitape, New Guinea.
2. Treatment of POWs at Kawasaki Camp No. 2 near Tokyo.
3. Sick and wounded POWs in Saigon. Cruel and irresponsible authority.

1123

PRISONER OF WAR reports. 31 July 1943

Three fleeing American PWs, executed in Mukden, Manchuria
Executed were: Meringale, Palliotti.

PRISONER OF WAR REPORTS

Notes for the interrogation of PWs found on BURMA, 27 Dec. 1944. When to make use of rebukes, invective, or torture on PWs.

PRISONER OF WAR REPORTS

1. English and Australian PWs escape from ~~torpedoed~~ ship RAKUYO MARU 12 Sept. 1944
2. US protests against ill treatment of crew of JEAN NICOLET, torpedoed 2 July 1944
3. Coleman D. Greelish shot to death 19 Sept. 1944.
4. Treatment of US plane crew.
5. US protest treatment of army private 21 Sept. 1943, Philippines.

PRISONER OF WAR REPORTS

1164

2 Feb. 1945

Ill treatment of American PWs at Camp No. 2 KAWASAKI.

Letters, etc. concerning PWs.

Communications from Swiss Legation (copies)

2942

PRISONERS OF WAR, . SHOWING POW DEATHS REPORTED BY THE
ENEMY POWERS, Master Index Report. 1 June 1946

Compilation of figures on POW deaths reported by enemy
detaining powers shows Japanese reported greatest number.

"SIAM, Report of Investigation on Japanese Plans for
MASS MURDER of All PWs in. 19 Nov. 1945

Implicates: TAMURA: SUGASAWA, Lt Col. Iju.

Summary of statements made by KOREAN and JAPANESE Guards
at Branch No. 4 Camp SARABURI alleging verbal instructions
for mass murder in event of Allied invasion of
territory.

PRISONER OF WAR REPORTS 26 Jan. 1945

1. Re Taiwan camp No. 1 in fortified place; Camps of Tokyo, Yokohama, Osaka, Saigon, Hong Kong, Muroran and Kawasaki situated near military objects and industrial sections.
2. Letter of protest re women civilian internees. Other letters concerning PWs given.

PRISONER OF WAR REPORTS, 7 Sept. 1945

Implicates: TAKAKURA, Lt. Col.

Draft concerning investigation by US of execution of US airmen. Place of execution to be kept secret.

PRISONERS OF WAR, seamen

2736

PUNISHMENT OF ALLIED SEAMEN, TELEGRAM FROM CO,
POW INFORMATION BUREAU TO VICE MINISTER FOR
FOREIGN AFFAIRS on.
29 July 1943

Implicates: TANI, Masayuki

Punishment of military personnel for conceal-
ing identity as such (Part of "B.A. 84" File)

Certified copy

PRISONER OF WAR, Thailand

2489 - 2494

PRISONERS OF WAR HELD BY JAPANESE, Miscellaneous Copies of
Extracts Pertaining to. PRISONER OF WAR INFORMATION BUREAU
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the PHILIPPINES, 29 July 1943.
- 2491- re censorship matters, 20 Dec. 1943
- 2492- re destruction of 5th Branch Camp TOKYO, list of
casualties, 11 Jan. 1944.
- 2493- telegrams from THAI Camp re diseases of POWs,
5 & 7 Sep.
- 2494- communique re communications technicians, 21 June
1943.

THAILAND POW CAMP, TWO TELEGRAMS FROM, TO
CHIEF OF POW INFORMATION BUREAU, TOKYO. 3
and 7 Sept. 43(?).

Refers to number of prisoners in camp and
percentage sick.

Certified copy of excerpt from "B.A.98"

PRISONER OF WAR, transfer of

3267

COMMUNICATION RE DELIVERY OF POWS, 30 Nov. 1943.

Implicates: OKA, Takasumi; MUTO, Akira; UEMURA, Mikio

"Very Secret" communication re delivery of 38 POWs to
TOKYO POW CAMP

PRISONERS OF WAR, transfer of

3266

INQUIRY REGARDING THE DELIVERY OF POW, 19 Jan. 1943.

Implicates: OKA, Takasumi; MUTO, Akira; UEMURA, Mikio

Delivery of POWs to TOKYO POW CAMP #2

PRISONERS OF WAR, transfer of

3264

INQUIRY REGARDING TRANSFER OF POWS TO
JAPANESE HOMELAND & ITS REPLY, 4 Feb 1944

Implicates: OKA, Takasumi

Transportation of POWs from Philippine
Islands to Japan Proper

PRISONERS OF WAR, transfer of

LIST OF POWS with COVERING LETTER FROM CHIEF
OF NAVAL AFFAIRS BUREAU, NAVY MINISTRY TO
CHIEF OF THE POW ADMINISTRATION DEPT, WAR
OFFICE, 18 AUG 1945.

Implicates: SHIMADA, Shigetaro

Communication re transfer of POWs.

3265

PRISONERS OF WAR, transfer of

REGARDING THE DELIVERY OF POWS, 2 Dec. 1942

Implicates: OKA, Takasumi; UEMURA, Mikio; MUTO, Akira

Transfer of POWs from temporary POW Camp in OFUNA

PRISONER OF WAR, transfer of

3240

SECRET COMMUNICATION #241 FROM CHIEF OF BUREAU OF NAVAL
AFFAIRS, NAVY MINISTER. 11 April 1944.

Implicates: OKA, Minoru

Transfer of POWs from OFUNA to OMORI.

PRISONER OF WAR REPORTS 1944-1945

1113

Implicates: SUZUKI

1. Letter from Swiss Legation to For Off. 15 May 1945. Concerns General Sutton who died after torture. Suzuki's letter of inquiry of 26 June 1945.
2. Letter of inquiry from Swiss Legation re 17 Americans killed at Kapitu-Nanmin, Capiz, P.I. 20mDec. 1943.

PRISONER OF WAR, transfer of

3241

SECRET COMMUNICATION #384 FROM CHIEF OF BUREAU OF NAVAL
AFFAIRS, NAVY MINISTRY. 3 May 1944.

Implicates: OKA, Minoru

Transfer of 2 POWs from NAGASAKI Prefecture to Army
custody.

PRISONER OF WAR, transfer of

3242

SECRET COMMUNICATION #535 FROM CHIEF OF NAVAL AFFAIRS
BUREAU, NAVY MINISTRY. 30 June 1944.

Implicates: OKA, Minoru

Transfer of 30 POWs from OFUNA to OMORI

PRISONER OF WAR, transfer off by ship-

2662

PRISONER OF WAR INVESTIGATION REPORTS, made by
POW Investigation Division, Central Investigation
Committee, June 1945 - March 1946.

Contains 27 reports re treatment of POWs.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

AFFIDAVITS OF PRISONERS OF WAR RE VIOLATIONS
OF RED CROSS CONVENTION, 1944, 1945.

Treatment of POWs; Class "B" offenses.

PRISONERS OF WAR, (protests re) treatment

1438

ALLOTMENT & SUPPLIES TO PRISONERS OF WAR ,
1942-45.

Protests by US and Britain re treatment of
prisoners.

PRISONERS OF WAR. treatment

3226

ANTHORN WARREND DAWSON-GROVE, FORMER POW--DESCRIBING
TREATMENT RECEIVED AT OFUNA. 4 Oct. 1947.

(sworn statement)

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

542

ATIS BULLETIN #723, SWPA, 14th Army order on
punishment of captured Air Crews, 28 Jan. 1945.

Implicates: TANAKA, Shizuichi

Illegal punishment of air POWs.

(extracts)

MONTHLY REPORT. FOREIGN AFFAIRS, Aug. 1942

General situation of internment of hostile nations
as compared with reports of repatriated Japanese
nationals.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

552

ATIS RESEARCH REPORT #65 (Supp 1): INSTRUCTIONS FOR
INTERROGATION, 29 March 1945.

Source of original: JAPANESE INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO
INTERROGATE (booklet)

Torture of POWS

(extract)

CERTIFIED COPIES OF CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN
ENGLISH EMBASSY AND ARGENTINE SECRETARY OF STATE
ON JAPANESE GOVERNMENT STAND ON OBSERVANCE OF
PRISONERS OF WAR (GENEVA) CONVENTION, 27 Dec.1941

Implicates: TAMURA; KIMURA, Heitaro; TOJO,Hideki

Correspondence includes Argentine transmissal of
Japanese note stating latter govt not bound by
Geneva Convention.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

1677

CERTIFIED STATEMENT BY VALENTINE BLOMFIELD,
DIRECTOR OF PWS, ON ORDER RE TREATMENT OF
JAPANESE HELD PRISONER.

Date: 28 March 1946

Certification that special instructions were
issued 27 May 1942 to UK forces that 1929 Geneva
Convention should apply to Japanese prisoners.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

1056

COLLECTION OF REPORTS, 2 Jan 45 - 15 Aug 45
(1945)

Telegrams from Japanese-Swiss re purchase of
salvage and 22 June 1945 visit to Japan of Red
Cross representatives.

DONALDSON, Ivan John - Affidavit re PUBLIC DISPLAY OF PRISONERS OF WAR AT FUSAN, Korea, 25 June 1946.

Implicates: NOGUCHI; TARADA.

Description of POW parade through the main street of Fusan, Korea, around 24 Sep. 1942.

FARLEY, Cecil Raymond, Affidavit re CONDITIONS IN KEIJO,
JINSEN and KONAN POW CAMPS IN KOREA, 6 Aug. 1947.

Implicates: MIZUGUCHI; OKAZAKI; NOGUCHI

Ill treatment of prisoners of war.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

1465

FILE OF DOCUMENT ON JAP STAND VIA-A-VIS
GENEVA CONVENTION OF PRISONERS OF WAR, 6 May 1942

Implicates: General TAMURA: MATSUOKA: TOJO:
KIMURA, Heitaro (Vice Minister of War)

Letters re treatment of prisoners of war

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

1469

**FILE OF OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN JAPANESE AND
SWISS GOVERNMENTS ON PRISONERS OF WAR, INTERNEES,
AND HOSPITAL SHIPS, Jan 1942--Sept. 1945.**

- 1) Prisoners of War
- 2) Treatment of civilian internees in general
- 3) Peters, MacDonald, and Stanbury (three British
civilian prisoners)
- 4) Grayburn, Clarke (British subjects arrested in
Hongkong)
- 5) Missing Australian subjects in New Guinea area
- 6) Hospital ships

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

1810

FILE ON TREATMENT OF PRISONERS OF WAR, 1944.

Implicates: SHIGEMITSU, Mamoru; KIMURA, Heitaro (only in so far as PW Bureau Chief)

Protests of various allied governments on treatment of prisoners, and Japanese reply to same.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

664

FOREIGN AFFAIRS MONTHLY REPORT, Jan. 1942.

Rules for handling the internees of hostile nationalities.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

175 & Supp

GENEVA CONVENTION RE SICK AND WOUNDED AND
PRISONERS OF WAR, 27 July 1929.

Treatment of POWs.

(Japan became a party to this Convention by
her own declaration.)

PRISONER OF WAR, treatment

3372

INTERROGATION OF LT. COL. NAGATOMA, Yoshitada at
CHANGI JAIL, Singapore, 9 May 1946.

Treatment of prisoners of war.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

2201

"INTERNEES, REGULATIONS FOR HANDLING", RIKU-A-MITSU 7391.

Date: 11 Nov. 1943

Major contents re treatment, labor and salary.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment

3025

INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING THE TREATMENT OF AIRCREWS OF
ENEMY RAIDING PLANES (Army Secret Tel no. 2190), 23 July
1942.

Implicat~~es~~: Lt. Gen. KIMURA, Heitaro; TANABE, Moritake;
USHIROKU, Jun

Two secret army memorandums and separate papers re rules
and articles for the punishment of crews of enemy raiding
planes on Japanese territory with certificate from
First Demobilization Ministry.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

1802

MEASURES ASSUMED BY BUREAU OF INFORMATION ON PRISONERS
OF WAR AND PRISONERS OF WAR ADMINISTRATIVE DEPT. re
PROTESTS concerning PRISONERS OF WAR, 1943-45.

Implicates: SUZUKI

Copies of records dealing with protests lodged by
various nations re treatment of PWs and substance of
Japanese replies. Conditions of Osaka POW Camp,
PWs from Thailand and Burma, Maulmein area. Lasang,
airfield.

(pamphlet)

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

JAPANESE HANDLING OF AMERICAN PRISONERS OF WAR - A
Letter by Major General Archer L. LERCH, 30, 1945.

Treatment of POWs, violation of rules of land
warfare, and Geneva Convention.

MONTHLY REPORTS OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, April 1942

Disposition of legation staffs of countries whose relations are severed. Exchange of information on treatment of war prisoners and internees. Movements of foreign companies under the Enemy's Property Control. Propaganda current in foreign countries concerning the air-raid of American planes.

MONTHLY REPORT ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS, July 1942

Repatriation of British and European Enemy Diplomats
and conditions at the Zentsuji POW Internment Camp.

TREATMENT OF PRISONERS OF WAR, 1942-43.

Requests from Swiss Legation to improvement treatment in prisoners in Seaul, Jinsen, and Zentsuji. Protests from Britain re mistreatment of prisoners in Thailand and Burma.

MONTHLY REPORT RE POLICE OVER FOREIGNERS, May 1944.

General conditions of internment of foreigners. .
Protest from US via Swiss Consulate that Japan
abused 1927 agreement re treatment of war prisoners.
Japan replied - promised to observe only those
articles that are possible.

MONTHLY REPORT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, March 1943.

Re Japanese management of German propaganda; German inspection of Japanese munition factories; Cancellation of an Englishman and an Indian from detention list; Disposal of British Consulate in Hokodate; Declaration of war by Chinese v. England, US, and China; Emigration of Chinese Republican laborers; Chinese labor contract; Conspiracy; Activities of German Embassy; Violations of Anti-Spy Laws.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

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MONTHLY REPORTS OF POLICE ON FOREIGNERS, Feb. and March
1944.

Treatment of POWs.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

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FOREIGN AFFAIRS MONTHLY REPORT, April 1944.

Control of internees at FUKUSHIMA POW Camp.

MONTHLY REPORTS OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, NO. 24 (Feb. 1942)

. Information edited as a guide to those engaged in the police of foreign affairs. Contents:

Wartime special disposition.

Movement of foreigners.

Preventive measures against foreign political agents.

Information and research materials.

Diary of foreign affairs police.

PACMIRS BULLETIN #42, order on method of dealing
with captured Air Crews, 29 June 1945.

Implicates: MORI

Illegal punishment of Air POWS.

(extract)

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

"PRISONERS OF WAR, General Information on", Handwritten and typed file - (B.A. 83 and B.A. 84) 1942-43

Implicates: SUZUKI, Maru (Special Plenipotentiary)

Protests from Britain on POW treatment in RANGOON, WAKE, GUAM, and answer thereto.

Request from Britain on behalf of POWs in JAKAPTA, inquiry re truth of punishment of seamen; with unsigned scribbled notes recommending no answer be sent.

PRISONER OF WAR, treatment

3370

RATION AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES IN POW CAMPS, Report from Field Marshal Count Terauchi, Supreme Commander Japanese Expeditionary Forces, Southern Regions, 2 April 1946.

Implicates: POW Camp officers and Supply officers.

Treatment of prisoners of war.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of
STATEMENT BY SECRETARY OF STATE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS IN
THE HOUSE OF COMMONS REGARDING JAPANESE TREATMENT OF
BRITISH POWS AND CIVILIAN INTERNEES, 28 Jan. 1944.

Implicates: TOJO, Hideki; TAMURA, Hiroshi

Report to House of Commons re maltreatment of POWs and
civilian internees in Japanese internment camps,
especially those in Siam, Philippine Islands, DEI,
Borneo, Malaya, Burma, FIC.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

2766

~~SWISS LEGATION IN TOKYO, TEN NOTES EXCHANGED BETWEEN THE~~
~~JAPANESE GOVERNMENT AND THE, on REPRESENTATIONS RE ILL-~~
~~TREATMENT OF PRISONERS OF WAR MADE IN PROTEST BY THE~~
~~GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES THROUGH THE SWISS GOVT.~~
15 Dec. 1942 - 1 Aug 1945

Implicates: TANI: TOGO: TOJO: SHIGEMITSU (Insofar as
Foreign Ministers)

Docs. No. 2766-A-1 to 2766-A-10 concern ill-treatment of
American POWs, violations of Geneva Convention, YOKOHAMA
POW camp.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

SWISS LEGATION, Letter of protest through, to Japan.

1. Ill treatment of Hindus, 27 March 1945.
2. Ill treatment of US PWs 7 Sept. 1944, description of treatment.
3. Flight sergeant Burridge.
4. PWs in Rangoon Jail, 19 March 1945.
5. Noah Cecil Heard killed at Fukuoka Camp. 31 May 1944
6. Shooting of Capt. Matthews, 2 March 1944.

PRISONERS OF WAR, (improper) treatment

TELEGRAM CONCERNING TREATMENT OF AMERICAN AVIATORS
CAPTURED WHILE BOMBING JAPAN (25 April-8 May 1942)

(telegram

PRISONERS OF WAR , treatment

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"TOKYO GAZETTE" - OFFICIAL - Published monthly by Foreign Affairs Assn. of Japan under Supervision of Board of Information. Date: Jan. Feb. Mar. 1942

Implicates: TOJO, KAYA, TOGO.

CRIMES TO WHICH APPLICABLE: War of GEA; Thailand-FIC relations; Japan-Soviet Neutrality Pact; Japan-Netherlands East Indies relations; Anti-Comintern Pact; Relations with USA during 1941; Treatment of PWs; Japan-Thailand relations; Pearl Harbor Attack; Preparations for War financial, productive; propaganda in Japan for war-education.

PRISONERS OF WAR, treatment of

1793

TRIAL AND PUNISHMENT OF ALLIED AIRMAN; SHOOTING OF 11
AIRMEN IN 1945; ORDERS AT END OF WAR RELEASING PRISONERS
OF WAR, 1942-45.

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treatment of two US airmen captured March 1945 and
tried by Military Discipline Council. Army directives
of August 15 and 23, 1945 re military laws and treatment
of POWs.

PRISONERS OF WAR, TREATY ON

1103

BUSINESS REPORT, 1936

Date: 1936

Source of original: Foreign Ministry

(book)

PRISONERS OF WAR -(treaty)- Japan

1103

BUSINESS REPORT, 1936

Date: 1936

Source of Original: Foreign Ministry

- 1) Treaty on prisoners of war
- 2) Russo-Japanese-Manchuria Treaty on the handling of border incidents
- 3) Treaty between Japan and Manchukuo concerning Japanese residence and a system of taxation.
- 4) Agreement between Japan and Manchukuo concerning industrial ownership.

(book)

PRISONER OF WAR, trial and punishment

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ARMY PUBLICATION IN PAMPHLET FORM. THIS IS ONE SECTION OF AN ARMY PUBLICATION DEALING WITH POWs, prison policies, captured airmen, etc. It bears no title (1942-44)

Trial and punishment of prisoners and residents of occupied countries. Prison policy. Military laws and trials of Japanese forces in China.

PRISONERS OF WAR, US treatment of
BRYAN, Blackshear M., Brigadier General ²³⁹⁰ USA,
Provost Marshall General, AFFIDAVIT OF, on UNITED
STATES TREATMENT OF JAPANESE PRISONERS AND
INTERNEES. Undated

General Bryan certifies that all prisoners of war
and civilians in continental US were treated in
accordance with provisions of Geneva Convention
of 1929.

PRISONER OF WAR, violations of

3146

OUTLINE OF MERITORIOUS RECORDS IN THE GREATER EAST ASIA WAR, No. 5; 1 Dec 1943-³¹May 1944. C Cover reads. "Headquarters, No. 5 (Naval Air Materials Omitted) (SHIREIBU, DAIGO, KOKU KANKEI NOZOKU)".

Records actions of individual naval officers, naval units, or fleets during 1 Dec. 43-31 May 44. Particular references to KANAI, Shigeo and ICHIOKA, Hisashi.

(bound file, kept by Navy)

PRISONERS OF WAR, War Ministry's Order regarding
plans for movement of. 27 Mar. 1945

Implicates: TAMURA, Gen.Hiroshi, SHIBAYAMA,
Kaneshiro (Vice Minister of War, 17th Mar. 1945)

Notice, given by the Vice-Minister of War as
Army-Asia-Secret Order No. 2257, 17 Mar. 1945.
Written according to PW Information Bureau Month-
ly Report (VA4). Changes in detention places,
freeing POWs as necessitated, value of POW labor,
extraordinary plans to quell rebellion.